DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damages done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—All the standing crops, *viz.*, sugar-cane, paddy, ragi, avare, togari and groundnut are reported to be in good condition in all the Taluks of the District.

Crops Harvested.—Nil.

Crops Sown.—Horsegram is being sown in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, and Magadi Taluks; and bilijola in Bangalore, Hoskote, Nelamangala and Kankanhalli. Rain is wanted in all the Taluks for the standing crops.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy.
Water and fodder are available.

It is reported by the Amildar, Chennapatna Taluk, that "Black quarter" is prevailing in Abbur village and that the Veterinary Doctor has been written to in the matter of inoculating the cattle and in taking steps to arrest the spread of the disease.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Ragi, avare, groundnut and sugar-cane are in good condition in Kolar Taluk and they are reported to be improving in Bowringpet, Chickballapur, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks.

Crops Sown.—Horsegram and bilijola are being sown in all Taluks, except Chickballapur and potato in Malur Taluk.

Crops Harvested.—Onions and groundnuts are being harvested in some parts of Chikballapur Taluk; and sugar-cane in some parts of Bagepalli Taluk and Giddaragi in some parts of Goribidnur Taluk.

10. Fair but more rain is wanted.
Prices of food grains are steady.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the District.
Difficulty for pasture is being felt in some parts of Bagepalli Taluk.
Water and fodder are available everywhere for the present.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Bilijola in all parts of the District, Horsegram in parts of Sira, Pavagada, Kunigal and Koratagere Taluks, greengram and blackgram in Gubbi Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Ragi, avare, thogari, horsegram, sugar-cane, paddy, groundnut, jola and haraka.

Crops Harvested.—Nati-ragi in parts of Madhugiri and Pavagada Taluks; chillies and ragi in parts of Sira Taluk, paddy and sugar-cane in parts of Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

10. Fair.

Rain is required in all parts of the District.

The Amildar, Sira reports that instructions have since been received from the Agricultural Department for combating the insect pest damaging the stored up grains.

The standing dry crops are reported to have withered in Pavagada Taluk.

Relief works are reported to have been undertaken in Madhugiri and Gubbi Taluks.

11. Water and fodder are available in all parts of the District except in Pavagada Taluk where fodder is reported to be scarce.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of black-quarter in parts of Chiknaikanahalli Taluk.

The Veterinary Inspector concerned is reported to have been addressed in the matter.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy, ragi, horse-gram, sugar-cane, thogari, avare, thadagani, til, greengram, blackgram, castor and tobacco are reported to be in good condition.

The standing crops in Mysore, Hunsur, Heggaddevankote and Nagamangala Taluks are reported to be in need of rain.

Seeds Sown.—Horse-gram in Malavalli and Krishnarajpet Taluks; Jola in Krishnarajpet Taluk.

Transplantation of paddy is going on in Krishnarajpet Taluk.

Horse-gram, blackgram, green gram and hutchellu which were recently sown in Hunsur Taluk are reported to be in need of rain.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. The Amildar of the Mysore Taluk reports that the standing crops now require rains badly and that the prices of ragi and jola are on the rise. Food stocks are available in sufficient quantity.

11. Water and fodder are available. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Doddaragi in the Arkalgud Taluk and Kulthi in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk are being sown.

Standing Crops.—Sugar-cane in the Hassan, Chennarayapatna, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks, and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; Paddy in the Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Belur, Chennarayapatna, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; Avare in the Arkalgud and Arsikere Taluks; Togari in the Arkalgud and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; Kulthi in the Arkalgud, Belur and Arsikere Taluks; Ragi in the Belur, Chennarayapatna, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; Jolam, cotton and ground-nut in the Arsikere Taluk and Chillies in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk are reported to be generally in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Sugar-cane is being harvested in the Belur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be generally good.

Standing crops in parts of Hassan Taluk as well of Alur Sub-Taluk are reported to be in need of rains.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

Seeds Sown.—Jola in the Chennagiri and Honnali Taluks; Wheat and bengal-gram in the Honnali Taluk are being sown.

Standing Crops.—Paddy and sugar-cane in all the Taluks and the Kumsi Sub-Taluk. Dry crops in all the Taluks and the Kumsi Sub-Taluk excepting Sagar, Nagar, Tirthahalli are reported to be fair. In some parts of the Shimoga and Shikarpur Taluks paddy is reported to be withering for want of rain.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi in the Taluks of Shimoga, Chennagiri, Honnali and Shikarpur; paddy in the Shimoga, Shikarpur Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk and Jola in the Chennagiri Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. All the standing crops are in need of immediate rains. Food grains are available. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk, except for the out-break of "Foot and Mouth disease" in Honnapur and Nidigi in the Shimoga Taluk, some parts of the Sagar Taluk, Kodase and Basavanabyana in the Nagar Taluk and Haranahalli and Arenakoppa in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk. It is reported by the Amildars, that the Veterinary Authorities have been addressed in the matter. Fodder and water are available in all the Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk excepting Honnali where difficulty for fodder is felt.

KADUR.

8. Markets well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

Crops Sown.—Coriander, jolum, bengal-gram in Kadur and Tarikere Taluks.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, jola, togari, avare, coffee, groundnut, castor and cotton are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Jola, groundnut, greengram and areca in Tarikere Taluk; areca and cardamom in Koppa and Mudgere Taluks, areca in Sringeri Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are generally fair.

Food grains are available and their prices remain steady.

11. Cattle are generally healthy throughout the District.

It is reported that Foot and Mouth disease prevails in some villages of Ajjampur Hobli, Tarikere Taluk.

The Veterinary Inspector is taking necessary action to check the spread of the disease and also to treat the sick animals.

Water and fodder for cattle are available in all the Taluks and Sub-Taluks in the District.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Sowing of bili jola and kadle is reported to be going on in Chitaldrug Taluk; cotton, kadle and wheat in Hiriyur Taluk; bili jola in Jagalur Taluk; jola, horsegram and navane in Hosdurga Taluk and cotton and bili jola in Harihar Sub-Taluk and transplanting of paddy in the channel area in Hiriyur Taluk.

State of Standing Crops.—Standing crops are reported to be fair throughout the District except Molakalmuru where they are badly in need of rain.

Crops Harvested.—Groundnut, til and blackgram in Chitaldrug Taluk; jola and sugar-cane in Hiriyur Taluk; jola, til and groundnut in Holalkere Taluk; groundnut in Davangere Taluk; ragi and jola in Molakalmuru Taluk; mungari jola in Jagalur Taluk and Hosdurga Taluks and groundnut in Harihar Sub-Taluk.

Probable out-turn of the harvest.—Eight annas in Chitaldrug, Holalkere and Davangere Taluks, 4 to 6 annas in Molakalmuru; 3 annas in Jagalur; 6 to 8 annas in Hosdurga and 4 to 6 annas in Harihar Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.
Labour is reported to be available in all the Taluks.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the Taluks except in some villages of Hiriyur, and in Arehalli in Holalkere Taluk where Chapperoga is prevailing and it is reported that Veterinary Inspectors are taking preventive measures to check the disease.

Water and fodder are available in all the Taluks except Molakalmuru Taluk where water difficulty is felt to a little extent.

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Revenue Commissioner.